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SUBJECT: GOE REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE IN QATTARA ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

REF: CAIRO LOU 9726

1. EPA HAS REVIEWED SULTAN LETTER TO AMBASSADOR AND GOE REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE IN QATTARA ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES. EPA DOES HAVE AN INTEREST IN STUDIES OF ECOLOGICAL AND HEALTH EFFECTS ASSOCIATED WITH CREATING LARGE BODIES OF WATER AND ARTIFICIAL WATERWAYS. EPA INTEREST IN QATTARA PROJECT WOULD BE ON BASIS OF POSSIBLE RELEVANCE OF PROJECT TO SIMILAR U.S. SITUATIONS.

2. EPA SUGGESTS THAT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BE OBTAINED FROM GOE TO DETERMINE EXACT NATURE OF THEIR INTEREST IN EPA PARTICIPATION. EPA OFFICIAL WILL PLAN VISIT WITH MINISTRY OF ELECTRIC POWER DURING NEXT SAO PROGRAM

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DEVELOPMENT TRIP IN ORDER TO CLARIFY INTERESTS OF EPA AND

MINISTRY.

3. OAKLEY HAS RECEIVED LETTER DATED JULY 20, 1976, FROM
ENGINEER ADLY YAKAN, CHAIRMAN, QATTARA PROJECT AUTHORITY.

LETTER ALSO INVITES EPA ASSISTANCE ON QATTARA ENVIRON-
MENTAL ASSESSMENT AND SIMILAR IN CONTENT TO SULTAN LETTER.
COPY BEING AIR POUCHED TO EMBASSY. SUGGEST EMBASSY
REPLY TO SULTAN ALSO REFERENCE YAKAN LETTER IN LIEU OF
DIRECT EPA REPLY. ROBINSON

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